

## Part I: CoC Organizational Structure

HUD-defined CoC Name:*	CoC Number*
Southwest Nebraska CoC	NE-503
*HUD-defined CoC names and numbers are available at: <a href="http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm">www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm</a> . If you do not have a HUD-defined CoC name and number, enter the name of your CoC and HUD will assign you a number.	

### A: CoC Lead Organization Chart

CoC Lead Organization: Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska, Inc.		
CoC Contact Person: Tracy Weiland/ Ron Snell		
Contact Person's Organization Name: Haven House/ Lincoln Connection		
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City: Lexington/ North Platte	State: NE	Zip: 68850/69103
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### B: CoC Geography Chart

Using the Geographic Area Guide found on HUD's website at <http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>. List the name and the six-digit geographic code number for **every** city and/or county participating within your CoC. Because the geography covered by your CoC will affect your pro rata need amount, it is important to be accurate. Leaving out a jurisdiction will reduce your pro rata need amount. For further clarification, please read the guidance in Section III.C.3.a of this NOFA regarding geographically overlapping CoC systems.

Geographic Area Name	6-digit Code
Arthur County	319005
Buffalo County	319019
Chase County	319029
Dawson County	319047
Dundy County	319057
Franklin County	319061
Frontier County	319063
Furnas County	319065
Gosper County	319073
Grant County	319075
Harlan County	319083
Hayes County	319085

Geographic Area Name	6-digit Code
Hitchcock County	319087
Hooker County	319091
Kearney County	319099
Keith County	319101
Lincoln County	319111
Logan County	319113
McPherson County	319117
Perkins County	319135
Phelps County	319137
Red Willow County	319145
Thomas County	319171

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## CoC Structure and Decision-Making Processes

### C: CoC Groups and Meetings Chart

The purpose of the CoC Groups and Meetings Chart is to help HUD understand the current structure and decision-making processes of your CoC. List the name and role (function served) of each group in the CoC planning process. Under “CoC Primary Decision-Making Group,” identify only one group that acts as the primary leadership or decision-making group for the CoC. Indicate frequency of meetings and the number of organizations participating in each group. Under “Other CoC Committees, Sub-Committees, Workgroups, etc.” you should include any established group that is part of your CoC’s organizational structure (add rows to the chart as needed). Please limit your description of each organization’s role to 2 lines or less.

CoC-Related Planning Groups		Meeting Frequency (check only one column)				Enter the number of organizations/entities that are members of each CoC planning group listed on this chart.
		Monthly or More	Quarterly	Biannually	Annually	
<b>Example: CoC Primary Decision-Making Group</b>						
<b>Name:</b>	River County Continuum of Care Executive Committee	X				5
<b>Role:</b>	This group meets to address current issues, set agendas for full CoC meetings, and determine project priorities.					
<b>COC Primary Decision-Making Group</b> (list only one group) meets bi-monthly						
<b>Name:</b>	SW Nebraska CoC Executive Committee		X			8
<b>Role:</b>	This group addresses immediate concern and determines final agenda for CoC meetings.					
<b>Other CoC Committees, Sub-Committees, Workgroups, etc.</b> (Workgroups meet bi-monthly)						
<b>Name:</b>	Workgroup 1-Data Collection & Information Sharing		X			6
<b>Role:</b>	This group maintains a complete list of service providers and a services directory, conducts point in time surveys, and provides support to NMIS, the HMIS lead agency.					
<b>Name:</b>	Workgroup 2- Education & Awareness		X			5
<b>Role:</b>	This workgroup works to maintain a sustainable CoC structure; produces a quarterly newsletter; works to increase involvement and participation in the CoC;					
<b>Name:</b>	Workgroup 3-Resource Development		X			5
<b>Role:</b>	This group coordinates projects and services; collaborates with members to strategize project development; seeks to increase funding and provision of housing for homeless/near homeless.					
<b>Name:</b>	Phelps County Housing & Homeless Coalition (6 times/yr)		X			18
<b>Role:</b>	This group coordinates and carries out planning activities for the Holdrege trade center region.					
<b>Name:</b>	Child Advocacy Team	X				18
<b>Role:</b>	This group develops and coordinates strength based programs that support the youth of the McCook trade center region					
<b>Name:</b>	Housing Development	X				6
<b>Role:</b>	This group focuses on improving the housing stock in Red Willow County, and provides REACH training for potential homeowners.					
<b>Name:</b>	Kearney Area Coalition on Housing & Homelessness		X			16
<b>Role:</b>	This group coordinates and carries out planning activities for the Kearney trade center region					
<b>Name:</b>	Ogallala Community Coalition	X				23
<b>Role:</b>	This group is organizing to address issues in the Ogallala trade center regions and will be strategic planning to address CoC goals during the remaining months of 2006.					

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## D: CoC Planning Process Organizations Chart

List the names of all organizations involved in the CoC under the appropriate category. If more than one geographic area is claimed on the 2006 Geography Chart (Chart B), you must indicate which geographic area(s) each organization represents in your CoC planning process. In the last columns, identify no more than two subpopulation(s) whose interests the organization is specifically focused on representing in the CoC planning process. For “Homeless Persons,” identify at least 2 homeless or formerly homeless individuals.

**Exhibit 1: CoC (Forms A through AB)**

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	<b>Specific Names of All CoC Organizations</b>	<b>Geographic Area Represented</b>	<b>Subpopulations Represented, if any* (no more than 2)</b>	
<b>PUBLIC SECTOR</b>	<b>STATE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES</b>			
	Nebraska Dept. of Health & Human Services	ALL OF CoC		
	Nebraska Dept. of Economic Development	ALL OF CoC		
	Regions 2 & 3 Behavioral Health Services	ALL OF CoC	SMI	SA
	Nebraska Department of Corrections (Work Ethic Camp)(District 9 Probation Office)	ALL OF CoC, 319101	Y/	
	<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES</b>			
	Development Council (Buffalo County)	319019		
	Phelps County Attorney/Child Support Enforcement	319137		
	Red Willow Economic Development	319145		
	City of McCook (Mayor)	319145		
	City of Ogallala (City Manager, Transportation Director, RSVP Volunteer Coordinator)	319101		
	Keith County Attorney	319101		
	<b>PUBLIC HOUSING AGENCIES</b>			
	Kearney Housing Agency	319019		
	Holdrege Housing Agency	319137		
	McCook Housing Agency	319145		
	West Central Housing Authority	319101		
	<b>SCHOOL SYSTEMS / UNIVERSITIES</b>			
	Central Community College	319047	Y	
	University of Nebraska Medical College of Nursing	ALL OF CoC		
	McCook Public Schools	319145	Y	
	ESU 15	319145, 319087, 319085, 319057, 319029, 319063, 319065	Y	
	McCook Community College	ALL OF CoC	Y	
	University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension	ALL OF CoC		
	Ogallala Public Schools (Administration & Board Member)	319101	Y	
	ESU 16	319101, 319075, 319091, 319171, 319005, 319117, 319113, 319111, 319135	Y	
	Head Start	ALL OF CoC	Y	
	<b>LAW ENFORCEMENT / CORRECTIONS</b>			
	Kearney Police Dept.	319019		
	Buffalo County Sheriff's Department	319019		
	McCook Police Department	319145		
	Red Willow County Sheriff's Department	319145		
	Ogallala Police Department	319101		
	<b>LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA) BOARDS</b>			
	Nebraska Workforce Development	319137, 319083		

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<b>PRIVATE SECTOR</b>	<b>OTHER</b>			
	Veterans Service Office	319137, 319083, 319061	V	
	South Central Behavioral Services	319019, 319111		
	USDA Rural Development	ALL OF CoC		
	Heartland Counseling	319101		
	Keith County Chamber of Commerce	319145		
	<b>NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS</b>			
	Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska (Mid)	ALL OF CoC		
	Kearney Area United Way	319019, 319099, 319137,		
	Rape & Domestic Abuse Program (R-DAP)	319091, 319111, 319113, 319117, 319171	DV	
	Domestic Violence Sexual Assault (DASA)	319145, 319029, 319057, 319085, 319087, 319063, 319065	DV	
	Lincoln County Community Services	319111		
	Nebraska Housing Developers Assn. (Mid)	ALL OF CoC		
	Buffalo County Community Partners	319019		
	R.A.F.T., Inc.	319019	DV	SMI
	Parent Child Center	319047, 319073	DV	
	Haven House	319047		
	NAF Multicultural Human Development Corporation	ALL OF CoC		
	Spouse/Sexual Abuse Education Center (S.A.F.E.)	319019, 319061, 319099, 319137	DV	
	Kearney Jubilee Center	319019		
	Lutheran Family Services	ALL OF CoC	SMI	
	The Salvation Army	ALL OF CoC	Y	
	Kearney Ministerial Assn.	319019		
	CASA(Court Appointed Special Advocates)	319047,319137, 319101	Y	
	Phelps Community Pantry	319137		
	Community Service Center, Inc	319047		
	NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill)	319019	SMI	
	Phelps County F.A.S.T.	319137		
	Nebraska Children's Home Society	319145		
	Family Resource Center	319145		
	Team Mates Mentoring Program	319145	Y	
	Cedars Southwest Youth Services	319145	Y	
	Goodwill Industries of Greater Nebraska	319145, 319019, 319111, 319047	SMI	SA
	Habitat for Humanity	319145, 319019		
	Family Resource Council	319019		
	Keith & Arthur County Food Pantry	319101, 319005		
	RITES for Families	319101		
	SAFE Kids	319101	Y	
	Sandhills Crisis Intervention (SCIP)	319101, 319005, 319075, 319135	DV	
	<b>FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS</b>			

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	First Presbyterian Church-Lexington	319047		
	Central Nebraska Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church	ALL OF CoC		
	Phelps County Ministerial Assn.	319137		
	Holdrege Catholic Outreach	319137		
	<b>FUNDERS / ADVOCACY GROUPS</b>			
	<b>BUSINESSES (BANKS, DEVELOPERS, BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS, ETC.)</b>			
	McCook National Bank	317145		
	<b>HOSPITALS / MEDICAL REPRESENTATIVES</b>			
	Holdrege Public Schools- Nurse	319137	Y	
	Phelps County Memorial Hospital, Early Childhood Development	319137	Y	
	Two Rivers Public Health dept.	319137, 319019, 319073, 319047, 319083, 319031, 319099		
	Richard Young Hospital	ALL OF CoC	SMI	
	Sandhills District Health Department	319101, 319005, 319075, 319091, 319171		
	Ogallala Hospital	319101		
	Great Plains Medical Center	319101, 319111,		
	<b>HOMELESS PERSONS</b>			
	Becky Diercks (Formerly Homeless)	319019		
	Joe Dicenta	319145		
	<b>OTHER</b>			
	Goodall Public Library	319101		
	Single Mom's Support	319101		

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**\*Subpopulations Key:** Seriously Mentally Ill (SMI), Substance Abuse (SA), Veterans (VET), HIV/AIDS (HIV), Domestic Violence (DV), and Youth (Y).

**E: CoC Governing Process Chart**

HUD is moving toward providing greater definition and setting standards on the governing process of Continuums of Care. Check the box for each question below, and explain briefly if necessary.

	Yes	No
1. Does the CoC have a separate planning and decision-making body/entity that is broadly representative of the public and private homeless service sectors, including homeless client/consumer interests? If no, please explain. <b>The Executive Committee includes a broad representation of the communities in the CoC, public sector representatives are ex-officio members, and no currently homeless individuals are represented. There is a formerly homeless person on the committee.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Is the primary decision-making entity composed of at least 65 percent representation by the private sector (including consumer interests)? If no, please explain.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Is the primary decision-making entity membership selected in an open and democratic process by the CoC membership? If no, please explain.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Is there a Chair and Co-Chair representing both the private and public sector at the same time, with staggered 2-year terms and the Chair position rotating between the private and public sectors? If no, please explain. <b>There are 2 conveners representing different regions of the CoC; there are staggered 2 year terms. The public sector is not represented in the leadership, primarily because their positions as government employees do not allow them to hold offices in such organizations.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. Has the CoC developed a Code of Conduct for the CoC decision-making entity and its Chair and Co-chair? If no, please explain. <b>It has not been necessary to date, the CoC has no assets and no employees. In matters requiring a vote, those who may have a conflict of interest abstain from voting in such decisions. The sole grantee in the CoC does have a Code of Conduct as do several other members.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. The Chair and Co-Chair and all members of the CoC decision-making entity may not participate in decisions concerning awards of grants or provision of financial benefits to such member or the organization that such member represents. Have they recused themselves from considering projects in which they have an interest? If no, please explain.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Does the CoC have a fiscal agent designated to receive funds from HUD?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

8. If your Continuum has not yet complied with **any** of the above broad standards for the CoC planning and decision-making process, please describe the extent to which your CoC will meet each guideline by the 2007 competition.

**The Executive Committee will discuss these guidelines and take them before the membership with a recommendation.**

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## F: CoC Project Review and Selection Chart

The CoC solicitation of projects and project selection should be conducted in a fair and impartial manner. Please mark all appropriate boxes to indicate all of the methods and processes the CoC used in 2006 to assess project(s) performance, effectiveness, and quality, particularly with respect to the Project Priorities Chart (CoC-Q). This applies to new and renewal projects. Check all that apply:

<b>1. Open Solicitation</b>	
a. Newspapers <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e. Outreach to Faith-Based Groups <input type="checkbox"/>
b. Letters to CoC Membership <input type="checkbox"/>	f. Announcements at CoC Meetings <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c. Responsive to Public Inquiries <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	g. Announcements at Other Meetings <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d. Email CoC Membership/Listserv <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>2. Objective Rating Measures and Performance Assessment</b>	
a. CoC Rating & Review Committee Exists <input type="checkbox"/>	j. Assess Spending (fast or slow) <input type="checkbox"/>
b. Review CoC Monitoring Findings <input type="checkbox"/>	k. Assess Cost Effectiveness <input type="checkbox"/>
c. Review HUD Monitoring Findings <input type="checkbox"/>	l. Assess Provider Organization Experience <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d. Review Independent Audit <input type="checkbox"/>	m. Assess Provider Organization Capacity <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
e. Review HUD APR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	n. Evaluate Project Presentation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
f. Review Unexecuted Grants N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	o. Review CoC Membership Involvement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
g. Site Visit(s) <input type="checkbox"/>	p. Review Match <input type="checkbox"/>
h. Survey Clients <input type="checkbox"/>	q. Review Leveraging <input type="checkbox"/>
i. Evaluate Project Readiness <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>3. Voting/Decision System</b>	
a. Unbiased Panel / Review Committee <input type="checkbox"/>	e. All CoC Present Can Vote <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b. Consumer Representative Has a Vote <input type="checkbox"/>	f. Consensus <input type="checkbox"/>
c. CoC Membership Required to Vote <input type="checkbox"/>	g. Abstain if conflict of interest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d. One Vote per Organization <input type="checkbox"/>	

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**G: CoC Written Complaints Chart**

Were there any written complaints received by the CoC regarding any CoC matter in the last 12 months?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, briefly describe the complaints and how they were resolved.	

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**Part II: CoC Housing and Service Needs****H: CoC Services Inventory Chart**

Using the format below, list the provider organizations and identify the service components currently being provided within your CoC. Place the name of each provider organization only once in the first column (add rows to the chart as needed), followed by an "X" in the appropriate column(s) corresponding to the service(s) provided by the organization. CoCs will only need to update this chart every other year.

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Provider Organizations	(2) Prevention					(3) Outreach			(4) Supportive Services									
	Mortgage Assistance	Rental Assistance	Utilities Assistance	Counseling/Advocacy	Legal Assistance	Street Outreach	Mobile Clinic	Law Enforcement	Case Management	Life Skills	Alcohol & Drug Abuse	Mental Health Counseling	Healthcare	HIV/AIDS	Education	Employment	Child Care	Transportation
South Central Behavioral Services									X		X	X						
Sheriffs' Departments: Arthur County								X										X
Buffalo County								X										X
Chase County								X										X
Dawson County								X										X
Dundy County								X										X
Frontier County								X										X
Furnas County								X										X
Gosper County								X										X
Grant County								X										X
Harlan County								X										X
Hayes County								X										X
Hitchcock County								X										X
Kearney County								X										X
Keith County								X										X
Perkins County								X										X
Phelps County								X										X
Red Willow County								X										X
Police Departments: Arapahoe								X										X
Beaver City								X										X
Cambridge								X										X
Cozad								X										X
Franklin								X										X
Gothenburg								X										X
Holdrege								X										X
Kearney								X										X
Minden								X										X
Lexington								X										X
Ogallala								X										X
CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates)				X	X					X								

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(1)  <b>Provider Organizations</b>	(2) <b>Prevention</b>					(3) <b>Outreach</b>			(4) <b>Supportive Services</b>									
	Mortgage Assistance	Rental Assistance	Utilities Assistance	Counseling/Advocacy	Legal Assistance	Street Outreach	Mobile Clinic	Law Enforcement	Case Management	Life Skills	Alcohol & Drug Abuse	Mental Health Counseling	Healthcare	HIV/AIDS	Education	Employment	Child Care	Transportation
DASA (Domestic Abuse Sexual Assault)		X	X	X					X	X							X	X
Parent Child Center				X														X
R.A.F.T., Inc. (Residential Assistance to Families in Transition)				X					X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X
R/DAP (Rape/ Domestic Abuse Program)				X														X
SCIP (Sandhills Crisis Intervention Program)				X					X									
The S.A.F.E. Center		X	X	X	X				X									X
Aids Hotline														X				
Nebraska Dept. of Health & Human Services	X	X	X		X				X	X			X	X			X	X
Nebraska Aids Project		X	X	X										X				
Peoples Family Health Services														X				
Arm In Arm											X							
Heartland Counseling	X	X	X	X					X		X	X	X		X			X
Veterans Administration		X	X								X	X						
Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska	X	X	X						X	X			X		X	X		X
Lincoln Connection									X				X			X		
NAF Multicultural Human Development					X				X				X		X		X	
Vocational Rehabilitation									X	X			X		X			
Phelps County F.A.S.T.									X	X								
The Salvation Army-North Platte																	X	X
The Salvation Army-Ogallala		X	X															
The Salvation Army-Kearney		X	X															X
United Way-211																	X	
Adult Basic Education															X			
Bright Beginnings-McCook															X			
University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension										X					X			
University of Nebraska-Kearney															X			
USDA Rural Development															X			
Area Agency on Aging				X	X					X								
Central Mediation Center					X													

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(1)  <b>Provider Organizations</b>	(2) <b>Prevention</b>					(3) <b>Outreach</b>			(4) <b>Supportive Services</b>									
	Mortgage Assistance	Rental Assistance	Utilities Assistance	Counseling/Advocacy	Legal Assistance	Street Outreach	Mobile Clinic	Law Enforcement	Case Management	Life Skills	Alcohol & Drug Abuse	Mental Health Counseling	Healthcare	HIV/AIDS	Education	Employment	Child Care	Transportation
Farm Crisis Hotline					X							X						
Nebraska Legal Services					X													
Volunteer Lawyer Project					X													
Mid-Nebraska Individual Services										X								
Mosaic										X								
Catholic Social Services												X						
Lutheran Family Services												X						
South Central Behavioral Services											X	X						
HOPE												X						
Richard Young Hospital												X						
American Red Cross													X					
Assistive Technology Project													X					
Handibus: Alma, Cambridge, Dawson County, Buffalo County, Franklin County, Kearney County, McCook, North Platte																		X
Case County Transit																		X
Eppley Express																		X
High Plains Cab Service																		X
Hitch & Hay-McCook																		X
Kearney Cab Company																		X
McCook City Public Transportation																		X
Ogallala Tripper																		X
Our Bus-Phelps county																		X
Prince of the Road																		X
Consumer Credit Counseling										X								
Head Start									X						X			
Alcoholics Anonymous											X							
Recovery Care Program													X		X	X		
Structured Out-Patient (SOP)											X							

Provider Organizations	Mortgage Assistance	Rental Assistance	Utilities Assistance	Counseling/Advocacy	Legal Assistance	Street Outreach	Mobile Clinic	Law Enforcement	Case Management	Life Skills	Alcohol & Drug Abuse	Mental Health Counseling	Healthcare	HIV/AIDS	Education	Employment	Child Care	Transportation
Arm and Arm											X							
Family Planning of People's Family Health Services													X					
Great Plains Regional Medical Center													X					
Region III Behavioral Health Services		X	X	X							X	X						
Region II Behavioral Health Services	X	X	X	X					X		X	X	X		X			X
Workforce Development																X		
Goodwill Industries of Greater Nebraska									X						X	X		

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## CoC Housing Inventory and Unmet Needs

### I: CoC Housing Inventory Charts

This section includes three housing inventory charts—for emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent housing. Note that the information in these charts should reflect a point-in-time count. For the Permanent Housing Inventory Chart, the beds listed under “new inventory” should indicate beds that became available for occupancy for the first time between February 1, 2005 and January 31, 2006. For complete instructions in filling out this section, see the Instructions section at the beginning of the application.

## Housing Inventory Charts

### Emergency Shelter: Fundamental Components in CoC System – Housing Inventory Chart

Provider Name	Facility Name	HMIS Part. Code	Number of Year-Round Beds in HMIS		Geo Code <input type="checkbox"/>	Target Pop		Year-Round			Total Year-Round Beds
						A	B	Fam. Units	Fam. Beds	Indiv. Beds	
<b>Current Inventory</b>			Ind.	Fam.							
Lincoln Co. Comm. Svcs.	Lincoln Connection	7	21	12	319111	M		4	12	21	3
Comm. Svc. Ctr., Inc.	Haven House	7			319047	M		0	0	20	2
SCIP	SCIP	F			319101	FC	DV	4	7	0	
RDAP	RDAP	F			319111	FC	DV	3	15	0	1
Parent Child Center	Parent Child Center	F			319047	FC	DV	3	21	0	2
S.A.F.E. Center	S.A.F.E. Center	F			319019	M	DV	3	19	0	2
DASAS	DASAS	F			319145	FC	DV	3	10	0	1
Lincoln County		N			319111	M					
Kearney County		N			319099	M					
The Salvation Army		P			319019	M					
Harlan County		N			319083	M					
Phelps County		N			31913	M					
Franklin county		N			319061	M					
<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>			21	12	<b>SUBTOT. CURRENT INVENTORY:</b>			20	84	42	1
<b>New Inventory in Place in 2005 (Feb. 1, 2005 – Jan. 31, 2006)</b>			Ind.	Fam.							
RDAP	RDAP			2	319111	FC	DV	2	5		
<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>			0	2	<b>SUBTOTAL NEW INVENTORY:</b>			2	5		
<b>Inventory Under Development</b>		Anticipated Occupancy Date									
<b>SUBTOTAL INVENTORY UNDER DEVELOPMENT:</b>								0	0	0	
<b>Unmet Need</b>								<b>UNMET NEED TOTALS:</b>			
1. Total Year-Round Individual ES Beds:			42	4. Total Year-Round Family Beds:							
2. Year-Round Individual ES Beds in HMIS:			42	5. Year-Round Family ES Beds in HMIS:							
3. HMIS Coverage Individual ES Beds: Divide line 2 by line 1 and multiply by 100. Round to a whole number.			100%	6. HMIS Coverage Family ES Beds: Divide line 5 by line 4 and multiply by 100. Round to a							

**I: CoC Housing Inventory Charts****Transitional Housing: Fundamental Components in CoC System – Housing Inventory Chart**

Provider Name	Facility Name	HMIS Part. Code	Number of Year-Round Beds in HMIS	Geo Code <input type="checkbox"/>	Target Pop		Year-Round				
					A	B	Family Units	Family Beds			
<b>Current Inventory</b>			Ind.	Fam.							
Lincoln Co. Comm. Svcs.	Lincoln Connection	7		4	319111	FC		4	12		
R.A.F.T., Inc.	R.A.F.T., Inc.	5		5	319019	FC		5	15		
S. Cent. Behavioral Svcs.	Freedom House	N			319019	SM					
<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>			0	9	<b>SUBTOT. CURRENT INVENTORY:</b>			9	27		
<b>New Inventory in Place in 2005 (Feb. 1, 2005 – Jan. 31, 2006)</b>			Ind.	Fam.							
R-DAP	R-DAP	F			319111	FM	DV	3	6		
<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>			0	0	<b>SUBTOTAL NEW INVENTORY:</b>			2	6		
<b>Inventory Under Development</b>		Anticipated Occupancy Date									
								0	0		
<b>SUBTOTAL INVENTORY UNDER DEVELOPMENT:</b>											
<b>Unmet Need</b>								<b>UNMET NEED TOTALS:</b>		11	42
1. Total Year-Round Individual TH Beds:			12	4. Total Year-Round Family Beds:							
2. Year-Round Individual TH Beds in HMIS:			0	5. Year-Round Family TH Beds in HMIS:							
3. HMIS Coverage Individual TH Beds: Divide line 2 by line 1 and multiply by 100. Round to a whole number.			0%	6. HMIS Coverage Family TH Beds: Divide line 5 by line 4 and multiply by 100. Round to a whole number.							

**I: CoC Housing Inventory Charts****Permanent Supportive Housing\*: Fundamental Components in CoC System – Housing Inventory Chart**

Provider Name	Facility Name	HMIS Part. Code	Number of Year-Round Beds in HMIS	Geo Code <input type="checkbox"/>	Target Population		Year-Round		
					A	B	Family Units	Family Beds	
<b>Current Inventory</b>			Ind	Fam.					
Pawnee Assisted Living Hotel	Pawnee Assisted Living Hotel	N			319111	SMF			
Liberty House	Liberty House	N			319111	SMF			30
Goodwill Industries of Greater Nebraska	Greater Nebraska Independent Living	N			319019	SMF			

<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>			0	0	<b>SUBTOT. CURRENT INVENTORY:</b>				
<b>New Inventory in Place in 2005 (Feb. 1, 2005 – Jan. 31, 2006)</b>			Ind.	Fam.					
Region 3 Behavioral Health Services (PH Vouchers for MH)	Region 3 Behavioral Health Services	F			319019	M			
Regions 2 Behavioral Health Services (PH vouchers for MH)	Regions 2 Behavioral Health Services	F			319145; 319111; 319101	M		1	2
<b>SUBTOTALS:</b>					<b>SUBTOTAL NEW INVENTORY:</b>			1	2
<b>Inventory Under Development</b>			Anticipated Occupancy Date						
Region 3 Behavioral Health Services (PH Vouchers for MH)	Region 3 Behavioral Health Services		By Jan. 1, 2007			M		9	21
Regions 2 Behavioral Health Services (PH vouchers for MH)	Regions 2 Behavioral Health Services		10 mixed units by July 1, 2006; 5 additional units by Jan. 1, 2007			M		7	16
<b>SUBTOTAL INVENTORY UNDER DEVELOPMENT:</b>								17	37
<b>Unmet Need</b>							<b>UNMET NEED TOTALS:</b>		73 186 1
1. Total Year-Round Individual PH Beds:			149		4. Total Year-Round Family Beds:				
2. Year-Round Individual PH Beds in HMIS:			0		5. Year-Round Family PH Beds in HMIS:				
3. HMIS Coverage Individual PH Beds: (Divide line 2 by line 1 and multiply by 100. Round to a whole number.)			0		6. HMIS Coverage Family PH Beds: (Divide line 5 by line 4 and multiply by 100. Round to a whole number.)				

\*Permanent Supportive Housing is: S+C, Section 8 SRO and SHP-Permanent Housing component. It also includes any permanent housing public housing units, that have been dedicated exclusively to serving homeless persons.

## J: CoC Housing Inventory Data Sources and Methods Chart

Complete the following charts based on data collection methods and reporting for the Housing Inventory Chart, including Unmet Need determination. The survey must be for a 24-hour point-in-time count during the last week of January 2006.

<b>(1) Indicate date on which Housing Inventory count was completed: _____ (mm/dd/yyyy)</b>	
<b>(2) Identify the <u>primary</u> method used to complete the Housing Inventory Chart (check one):</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Housing inventory survey to providers</b> – CoC distributed a housing inventory survey (via mail, fax, or e-mail) to homeless programs/providers to update current bed inventories, target populations for programs, beds under development, etc.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>On-site or telephone housing inventory survey</b> – CoC conducted a housing inventory survey (via phone or in-person) of homeless programs/providers to update current bed inventories, target populations for programs, beds under development, etc.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – Used HMIS data to complete the Housing Inventory Chart
<b>(3) Indicate the percentage of providers completing the housing inventory survey:</b>	
<u>86</u> %	Emergency shelter providers

<u>100</u> %	Transitional housing providers
<u>0</u> %	Permanent Supportive Housing providers
<b>(4) Indicate steps to ensure data accuracy for 2006 Housing Inventory Chart (check all that apply):</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Instructions</b> – Provided written instructions for completing the housing inventory survey.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Training</b> – Trained providers on completing the housing inventory survey.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Updated prior housing inventory information</b> – Providers submitted updated 2005 housing inventory to reflect 2006 inventory.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Follow-up</b> – CoC followed-up with providers to ensure the maximum possible response rate and accuracy of the housing inventory survey.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Confirmation</b> – Providers or other independent entity reviewed and confirmed information in 2006 Housing Inventory Chart after it was completed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – Used HMIS to verify data collected from providers for Housing Inventory Chart.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – specify:
<b>Unmet Need:</b>	
<b>(5) Indicate type of data that was used to determine unmet need (check all that apply):</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sheltered count (point-in-time)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Unsheltered count (point-in-time)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Housing inventory (number of beds available)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Local studies or data sources – specify:
<input type="checkbox"/>	National studies or data sources – specify:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Provider opinion through discussions or survey forms
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other – specify:
<b>(6) Indicate the <u>primary</u> method used to calculate or determine unmet need (check one):</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Stakeholder Discussion</b> – CoC stakeholders met and reviewed data to determine CoC's unmet need
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Calculation</b> – Used local point-in-time (PIT) count data and housing inv. to calculate unmet need
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Applied statistics</b> – Used local PIT enumeration data and applied national or other local statistics
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HUD unmet need formula</b> – Used HUD's unmet need formula*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – specify:
<b>(7) If your CoC made adjustments to calculated unmet need, please explain how and why.</b>	

\*For further instructions, see Questions and Answers Supplement on the CoC portion of  
<http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>

CoC-J

## CoC Homeless Population and Subpopulations

### K: CoC Point-in-Time Homeless Population and Subpopulations Chart

Complete the following chart based on the most recent point-in-time count conducted. Part 1 and Part 2 must be completed using statistically reliable, unduplicated counts or estimates of homeless persons in sheltered and unsheltered locations at a one-day point in time. Include homeless Hurricane Katrina evacuees in Parts 1 and 2, and complete Part 3 if applicable. Part 3 may be completed using point-in-time information or may be estimated if no point-in-time count has been done since September 1, 2005. Completion of a point-in-time count of sheltered and unsheltered homeless persons during the last week in January 2006 is not required. The next required point-in-time count of sheltered and unsheltered homeless persons must be completed during the last week of January 2007. For further instructions for filling out this section, see the Instructions section.

Indicate date of last point-in-time count: 01/31/2005 (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 1: Homeless Population	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
	Emergency	Transitional		
Number of Families with Children (Family Households):	8	10	3	21
1. Number of Persons in Families with Children:	22	26	7	55
2. Number of Single Individuals and Persons in Households without Children:	13	19	12	44
(Add Lines Numbered 1 & 2) Total Persons:				
Part 2: Homeless Subpopulations	Sheltered		Unsheltered	Total
a. Chronically Homeless (For sheltered, list persons in emergency shelter <i>only</i> )	17		4	21
b. Severely Mentally Ill	1		* 10	11
c. Chronic Substance Abuse	11		* 10	21
d. Veterans	1		* 0	1
e. Persons with HIV/AIDS	0		* 0	0
f. Victims of Domestic Violence	29		* 0	29
g. Unaccompanied Youth (Under 18)	0		* 0	0

If applicable, complete the following section to the extent that the information is available. Be sure to indicate the source of the information by checking the appropriate box:

**Data Source:** ☐ Point-in-time count **OR** ☒ Estimate

Part 3: Hurricane Katrina Evacuees	Sheltered	Unsheltered	Total
Total number of Katrina evacuees	3 Households	0	3
Of this total, enter the number of evacuees homeless <b>prior to</b> Katrina	0	0	0

\*Optional for Unsheltered

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## L: CoC Homeless Population and Subpopulations Data Sources & Methods Chart

Complete the following charts based on the most recent point-in-time count conducted.

### L-1: Sheltered Homeless Population and Subpopulations

(1) Check the <u>primary</u> method used to enumerate sheltered homeless persons in the CoC (check one):
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Point-in-Time (PIT) no interview</b> – Providers did not interview sheltered clients during the point-in-time count
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>PIT with interviews</b> – Providers interviewed each sheltered individual or household during the point-in-time count
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>PIT plus sample of interviews</b> – Providers conducted a point-in-time count <b>and</b> interviewed a random sample of sheltered persons or households (for example, every 5th or 10th person)
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>PIT plus extrapolation</b> – Information gathered from a sample of interviews with sheltered persons or households is extrapolated to the total sheltered population

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Administrative Data</b> – Providers used administrative data (case files, staff expertise) to complete client population and subpopulation data for sheltered homeless persons
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – CoC used HMIS to complete the point-in-time sheltered count and subpopulation information
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – please specify:
<b>(2) Indicate steps taken to ensure data quality of the sheltered homeless enumeration (check all that apply):</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Instructions</b> – Provided written instructions to providers for completing the sheltered point-in-time count
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Training</b> – Trained providers on completing the sheltered point-in-time count
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Remind and Follow-up</b> – Reminded providers about the count and followed up with providers to ensure the maximum possible response rate and accuracy
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – Used HMIS to verify data collected from providers for the sheltered point-in-time count
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – please specify:
<b>(3) How often will sheltered counts of sheltered homeless people take place in the future?</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Biennial (every two years)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Annual
<input type="checkbox"/>	Semi-annual
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other – please specify:
<b>(4) Month and Year when next count of sheltered homeless persons will occur: <u>01/2007</u></b>	
<b>(5) Indicate the percentage of providers completing the populations and subpopulations survey:</b>	
<u>86</u> %	Emergency shelter providers
<u>100</u> %	Transitional housing providers
<u>N/A</u> %	Permanent Supportive Housing providers

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**L-2: Unsheltered Homeless Population and Subpopulations\***

<b>(1) Check the primary method used to enumerate unsheltered homeless persons in the CoC:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Public places count</b> – CoC conducted a point-in-time count <u>without</u> client interviews
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Public places count with interviews</b> – CoC conducted a point-in-time count and interviewed every unsheltered homeless person encountered during the public places count
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Sample of interviews</b> – CoC conducted a point-in-time count and interviewed a random sample of unsheltered persons
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Extrapolation</b> – CoC conducted a point-in-time count and the information gathered from a sample of interviews was extrapolated to total population of unsheltered homeless people counted
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Public places count using probability sampling</b> – High and low probabilities assigned to designated geographic areas based on the number of homeless people expected to be found in each area. The CoC selected a statistically valid sample of each type of area to enumerate on the night of the count and extrapolated results to estimate the entire homeless population.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Service-based count</b> – Interviewed people using non-shelter services, such as soup kitchens and drop-in centers, and counted those that self-identified as unsheltered homeless persons
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – Used HMIS to complete the enumeration of unsheltered homeless people
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – please specify:
<b>(2) Indicate the level of coverage of the point-in-time count of unsheltered homeless people:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Complete coverage</b> – The CoC counted every block of the jurisdiction
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Known locations</b> – The CoC counted areas where unsheltered homeless people are known to congregate or live
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Combination</b> – CoC counted central areas using complete coverage and also visited known locations
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Used service-based or probability sampling</b> (coverage is not applicable)
<b>(3) Indicate community partners involved in point-in-time unsheltered count (check all that apply):</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Outreach teams</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Law Enforcement</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Service Providers</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Community volunteers</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – please specify: <b>Great Plains Regional Medical Clinic</b>
<b>(4) Indicate steps taken to ensure the data quality of the unsheltered homeless count (check all that apply):</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Training</b> – Conducted a training for point-in-time enumerators
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>HMIS</b> – Used HMIS to check for duplicate information
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – specify: Phone calls with providers to confirm information.
<b>(5) How often will counts of unsheltered homeless people take place in the future?</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Biennial</b> (every two years)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Annual</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Semi-annual</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Quarterly</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b> – please specify:
<b>(6) Month and Year when next count of unsheltered homeless persons will occur: <u>01/2007</u></b>	

\*Please refer to 'A Guide to Counting Unsheltered Homeless People' for more information on unsheltered enumeration techniques.

CoC-L-2

## CoC Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)

### M: CoC HMIS Charts

CoCs should complete this section in conjunction with the lead agency responsible for the HMIS. All information is to be as of the date of application submission.

#### M-1: HMIS Lead Organization Information

Organization Name: Community Action of Nebraska, Inc.	Contact Person: Tim Wilson
Phone: (308)865-5675-129	Email: tawilson@canhelp.org
Organization Type: State/local government <input type="checkbox"/>	Non-profit/homeless provider <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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#### M-2: List HUD-defined CoC Name(s) and Number(s) for every CoC included in HMIS

##### Implementation:

HUD-Defined CoC Name*	CoC #	HUD-Defined CoC Name*	CoC #
Southwest Nebraska CoC	NE-503	Southeast Nebraska CoC	NE-504
North Central Nebraska CoC	NE-500	Panhandle of Nebraska	NE-505

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Omaha/Council Bluffs CoC	NE-501	Northeast Nebraska CoC	NE-506
Lincoln CoC	NE-502		

\*Find HUD-defined CoC names & numbers at: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>

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**M-3: HMIS Implementation Status**

<b>HMIS Data Entry</b> Start Date for your CoC (mm/yyyy)	<b>or</b>	<b>Anticipated Data Entry</b> Start Date for your CoC (mm/yyyy)	If no current or anticipated data entry date, indicate reason: <input type="checkbox"/> New CoC in 2006 <input type="checkbox"/> Still in planning/software selection process <input type="checkbox"/> Still in initial implementation process
<b>02/2005</b>			

CoC-M-3

**M-4: Client Records\*\***

Calendar Year	Total Client Records Entered in HMIS / Analytical Database (Duplicated)	Total Unduplicated Client Records Entered in HMIS / Analytical Database
2004	0	0
2005	175 Homeless 3004 Total	175 Homeless 2009 Total

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**M-5: HMIS Participation\*\***

<b>a) HMIS participation by program type and funding source (please review instructions)</b>			
Program Type	Total number of agencies	Number of agencies participating in HMIS <u>receiving</u> HUD McKinney-Vento funds	Number of agencies participating in HMIS <u>not</u> receiving HUD McKinney-Vento funds
Street Outreach	0	0	0
Emergency Shelter	7	2	0
Transitional Housing	1	1	0
Permanent Supportive Housing	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS:</b>	8	3	0
<b>b) Definition of bed coverage in HMIS (please review instructions)</b>			
Program Type	Date achieved or anticipate achieving 75% bed coverage (mm/yyyy)		
Emergency Shelter (all beds)	02/2006 (except DV providers)		
Transitional Housing (all beds)	10/2005		
Permanent Supportive Housing (McKinney-Vento funded beds only)	0		
<b>Challenges and Barriers:</b> Briefly describe any significant challenges/barriers the CoC has experienced in: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HMIS implementation: The Southwest CoC had to overcome several barriers to implement an HMIS system. First obstacle was getting all continuum partners to agree on what system to use; ServicePoint was selected. The next challenge was to get agencies on board and funding the project. Community Action of Nebraska (CAN) has helped oversee project implementation and in January of 2005 hired a System Administrator for Mids' service region to provide technical assistance and enduser training for agencies that had purchased licensing and support for the first year. Mid and our partners are currently working with the Nebraska Management Information System to implement ServicePoint across the state of Nebraska and help reduce user fees. The greatest challenge in implementing the HMIS remains consistent funding for agencies to support the project and sustain personnel to oversee data management.</li> <li>HMIS Data and Technical Standards Final Notice requirements: The greatest challenge remaining with data is that agencies must become more consistent on using Service Point and entering accurate and reliable information after they are trained by the System Administrators. The System Administrators are also working on improving reporting capabilities with ServicePoint to meet individual agency needs.</li> </ol>			

\*\*For further instructions on charts M-4 and M-5, see Instructions section at the beginning of application.

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## **M-6: Training, Data Quality and Implementation of HMIS Data & Technical Standards**

1. Training Provided (check all that apply)	YES	NO
Basic computer training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
HMIS software training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Privacy / Ethics training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Security Training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
System Administrator training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>2. CoC Process/Role</b>		
Is there a plan for aggregating all data to a central location, at least annually?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is there a plan to monitor compliance with HMIS Data & Technical Standards Final Notice?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>3. Data Collection Entered into the HMIS</b>		
Do all participating agencies submit universal data elements for <b>all</b> homeless persons served?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do all agencies required to complete a HUD APR, except agencies meeting the definition of domestic violence provider, submit program level data elements to HMIS?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>4. Security: Participating agencies have:</b>		
Unique username and password access?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Secure location?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Locking screen savers?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Virus protection with auto update?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Individual or network firewalls?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Restricted access for HMIS accessed via public forums (e.g. PKI digital certificates or IP filtering)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>5. Security: Agency responsible for centralized HMIS data collection and storage has:</b>		
Procedures for off-site storage of HMIS data?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disaster recovery plan that has been <u>tested</u> ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>6. Privacy Requirements</b>		
Have additional State confidentiality provisions been implemented?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Is there a "Purpose for data collection" sign at each intake desk for all participating agencies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does each participating agency have a written privacy policy, including the uses and disclosures of information	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does each participating agency have a privacy policy posted on its website (if applicable)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>7. Data Quality: CoC has protocols for:</b>		
Client level data quality (i.e. missing birth dates etc.)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Program level data quality (i.e. data not entered by agency in over 14 days)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Assessing CoC bed coverage (i.e. % of beds)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>8. Unduplication of Client Records: CoC process:</b>		
Uses data in the HMIS exclusively to generate unduplicated count?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Uses data integration or data warehouse to generate unduplicated count?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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## Part III: CoC Strategic Planning

### N: CoC 10-Year Plan, Objectives, and Action Steps Chart

Please provide local action steps and measurable achievements for attaining each of the 5 national HUD objectives listed, as part of the goal to end chronic homelessness and help to move families and individuals to permanent housing. In the column labeled “Lead Person,” please list one individual that is responsible for ensuring that the objective is met. You may list additional CoC objectives as needed. Please note that your Continuum will be reporting on your achievements with respect to each of these objectives in the 2007 application.

Objectives to End Chronic Homelessness and Move Families and Individuals to Permanent Housing	Local Action Steps (How are you going to do it? List action steps to be completed within the next 12 months.)	Measurable Achievement in 12 months	Measurable Achievement in 5 years	Measurable Achievement in 10 years	Lead Person (Who is responsible for accomplishing CoC Objectives?)
<i>EXAMPLE: 1. Create new PH beds for chronically homeless persons.</i>	<i>1. Expand New Hope Housing project with 5 new TRA S+C beds for chronically homeless persons</i>	<i>5 beds</i>	<i>20 beds</i>	<i>50 beds</i>	<i>Carol Smith: Chair, CoC Housing Committee</i>
1. Create new PH beds for chronically homeless persons.	1. SW CoC is encouraging the trade centers to complete housing surveys by 2008.  2. Behavioral Health Regions 2 & 3 Housing Vouchers available for CH with SMI.  3. Increase TH units using universal guidelines until PH beds become available.	1. 50% of trade centers will be conducting or will have completed a housing survey.  2. 2 beds for CH with SMI  3. a. 2 new TH units in each trade center will be in the planning phase. 3. b. Wraparound services guidelines established for each individual.	1. 100% of trade centers will have completed housing surveys.  2. 4 beds for CH with SMI  3. All CH individuals will reside in PH, with wraparound services continuing, within 6 months of entering TH.	1. 8 Beds  2. 4 beds for CH with SMI  3. All CH individuals will reside in PH, with wraparound services continuing, within 3 months of entering TH.	1. Executive Committee  2. Behavioral Health Regions 2 & 3 Housing Directors 3. Trade center planning committees

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2. Increase percentage of homeless persons staying in PH over 6 months to 71%.	<p>1. Numbers of CH being served will be established by the Public Housing Agencies with the January 2007 Point-In-Time Survey.</p> <p>2. Unmet need will be more accurate with known numbers of CH.</p>	<p>1.a Number of CH units will be known and unmet need better identified.</p> <p>1.b. Services required to keep CH in PH will be assessed.</p> <p>2. Number of additional units needed will be known.</p>	<p>1. 75 % of the CH housed will remain for 6 months or longer.</p> <p>2.Adequate units and services will be available for all CH to be in PH.</p>	<p>1. Emergency Shelter census will decrease by 50%.</p> <p>3. Number of CH will decrease and length of stay in TH will be reduced to 3 months or less.</p>	1.CoC Workgroup 1
3. Increase percentage of homeless persons moving from TH to PH to 61%.	<p>1. Create an initiative to have all TH self-sufficiency programs using universal guidelines.</p> <p>2. TH providers will work with housing providers to make a smooth transition for individuals from TH to PH.</p>	<p>40% of persons in TH moving to PH.</p>	<p>70% of persons in TH moving to PH within 1 year.</p>	<p>90% of persons in TH moving to PH within 1 year.</p>	<p>1.Workgroup 3</p> <p>2. Individual service providers</p>
4. Increase percentage of homeless persons becoming employed by 11%.	<p>1. Create an initiative to have all TH self-sufficiency programs using universal guidelines which include employment procedures.</p> <p>2 Determine the number of CH individuals who are employed.</p> <p>3.Provide job training assistance to CH.</p>	<p>1. Universal guidelines will be under development using guidelines in place in current TH programs.</p> <p>2. PIT survey will include employment information on CH.</p> <p>3. 40% of CH will be employed.</p>	<p>1. Universal guidelines will be in place.</p> <p>3. 55% pf CH will be employed.</p>	<p>N/A</p> <p>3. 65% of CH will be employed.</p>	<p>1. TH program providers</p> <p>2.Workgroup 1</p>
5. Ensure that the CoC has a functional HMIS system.	<p>1. Continue encouraging all services providers to participate in Nebraska Information Management System (NMIS).</p>	<p>1. Have 100% of homeless shelter providers on</p>	<p>1. Have all shelter and service providers</p>	<p>1. N/A</p>	1. CoC HMIS Committee

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		NMIS by July 1 with the exception of NDHHS and DV providers.	participating in NMIS, except NDHHS.		
	2. Develop a plan to aggregate all data to a central location annually.	2. HMIS Committee will develop a plan and whole membership will revise as necessary and approve the plan.	2. NMIS information will be used to identify CH and better identify their specific needs	2. N/A	2. 1. CoC HMIS Committee
	3. Educate all providers on Data & Technical Standards and review to assure compliance.	3. Providers will be trained on data and technical requirements.	3. Requirements will be met in full.	3. N/A	3. CoC HMIS Committee

**Other CoC Objectives in 2006**

1.To strengthen the Southwest Nebraska CoC's effectiveness through data collection and information sharing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Give support to lead agency for HMIS.</li> <li>• <i>Maintain up to date Service Directory.</i></li> <li>• Apply for funding to assist NMIS and agencies in meeting the necessary costs to maintain the system in place.</li> </ul>	<p>Updates will be received from System Administrator on data collection progress. <i>Information from all Trade Centers will be current.</i></p> <p>Apply for renewed HUD funds; continue seeking other funds.</p>	<p>All providers to homeless and near-homeless will participate in NMIS. <i>Resources will be quickly and easily accessible to clients.</i></p> <p>Funding sources will be in place and system will be secure financially.</p>	N/A	<p>Co-Conveners</p> <p><i>Becky Diercks, Chair Data Collection/Information Sharing Committee</i></p> <p>CAP-Mid</p>
2. Continue to use the "Chicago Plan" Housing First model for homeless individuals and families.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain the Southwest Nebraska CoC workbook</li> </ul>	<p>Workbook will contain plans outlined, responsibilities assigned, and accomplishments recorded. history, needs and process for resolving</p>	<p>Workbook will be used throughout the CoC in planning housing and services for both homeless and</p>		<p>Becky Diercks, Chair Data Collection/Information Sharing Committee</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Educate new CoC participants on use of the plan</li> </ul>	<p>housing needs issues for all homeless people.</p> <p>Provide copy of the plan to all new participants and train on "Housing First".</p>	<p>homeless-Prevention.</p> <p>Provide an annual training session at a CoC meeting to update members on use of the plan.</p>		<p>Workgroup 2- Education and Awareness</p>
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## O: CoC Discharge Planning Policy Chart

HUD McKinney-Vento homeless assistance funds are **not** to be used for projects that target persons being discharged from publicly funded institutions or systems of care. Check “Yes” or “No” in each box, as appropriate. \*If “Yes” is indicated for “Formal Protocol Finalized” or “Formal Protocol Implemented,” include a brief summary of the formal protocol for each applicable system category. Your response in this section should take up less than 2 pages.

Publicly Funded Institution(s) or System(s) of Care in CoC Geographic Area	Initial Discussion	Protocol in Development	Formal Protocol Finalized*	Formal Protocol Implemented*
Foster Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Health Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Mental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Corrections	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**Foster Care:** State policy addresses discharge from state foster care, out-of-home care, and general custody. A Policy and Procedures Manual guides the work of Protection and Safety. Discharge planning protocols seek to ensure a smooth transition from wardship to community living, connecting youth to needed community supports, while recognizing the strengths and needs of the ward. The protective service worker plan ensures that the youth continues to receive supported living into adulthood (the age of majority, which is 19) and reflects the need for any continuity of programmed services, such as educational and vocational services. The Transitional Plan to Adult Living through the school district is to be used for those receiving special education services. Wards with other mental or physical disabilities are linked to specialized support services to make the transition to living within the community. While a case is closed when the ward/youth reaches the age of majority, the youth should maintain significant relationships and be connected to future case management when warranted. (The Policy & Procedures Manual is currently under revision. (5/2006)

**Health Care:** Charles Drew Health Center in Omaha is the only publicly funded institution/system of care in NE. There is no formal protocol in the Southwest Nebraska CoC at this time.

**Mental Health:** When an individual is committed to a State Regional Center, the discharge planning process starts. The goal is to return the individual to the community and the appropriate level of housing and needed services (if required). All planned discharges include appropriate housing and community services. The Nebraska Housing Related Assistance Program, authorized under Neb. Rev. Stat. 71-812(3) and consistent with the intent of Nebraska’s Behavioral Health Reform, is to help those who are experiencing extreme housing burden. To be eligible, the adult has a serious mental illness; an Individual Service Plan with a goal of independent living; has HHSS Authorized Behavioral Health Services; has documented efforts to fully exhaust local options available in seeking rental assistance administered by local housing authorities and/or other entities; is Extremely Low Income; and (f) meets one of the following criteria: is discharged from an inpatient mental health commitment; is eligible to move from a residential level of care to independent living to make room for a person being discharged from an inpatient mental health commitment; is at risk of an inpatient mental health commitment, at least in part because of lack of affordable independent housing.

**Corrections:** Case managers are responsible for conducting discharge planning for assigned caseloads. The intent of discharge planning is to prepare the inmate for release and transition to the community. As much as possible, inmates are encouraged to enroll in the pre-release program; this is mandatory for NE Corrections Youth Facility inmates. The discharge plan consists of educational

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or vocational goals, a housing plan, consideration of behavioral health plan for a continuum or care upon release. The plan is revised at regular interviews. The final discharge plan is completed to those discharging without the benefit of parole at least 90 days prior to discharge. This final plan reviews the reasons for discharge without parole and is used to aid the transition into the community. Each facility must develop procedures for coordinating community resources to assist in the final discharge plan. Written procedures are in place for releasing inmates. (Last revised 5/18/2005.)

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## P: CoC Coordination Chart

A CoC should regularly assess the local homeless system and identify shortcomings and unmet needs. One of the keys to improving a CoC is to use long-term strategic planning to establish specific goals and then implement short-term/medium-term action steps. Because of the complexity of the existing homeless system and the need to coordinate multiple funding sources, there are often multiple long-term strategic planning groups. It is imperative for CoCs to coordinate, as appropriate, with each of these existing strategic planning groups to meet the local CoC shortcomings and unmet needs. Answer each question in the checkbox provided, using an X to indicate Yes or No for each.

<b>Consolidated Plan Coordination</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
a. Do Con Plan planners, authors and other Con Plan stakeholders participate in CoC general planning meetings?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Do CoC members participate in Con Plan planning meetings, focus groups, or public forums?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Were CoC strategic plan goals addressing homelessness and chronic homelessness used in the development of the Con Plan?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Jurisdictional 10-year Plan Coordination</b>		
a. Are there separate formal jurisdictional 10-year Plan(s) being developed and/or being implemented within your CoC geography? (If No, you may skip to the next section of this chart.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b. Do 10-year Plan conveners, authors and other stakeholders participate in CoC general planning meetings?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Have 10-year Plan participants taken steps to align their planning process with the local CoC plan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d. Were CoC strategic plan goals used in the development of the 10-year Plan(s)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Provide the number of jurisdictions within your CoC geography that have formally implemented a 10-year plan(s).	0	
<b>Policy Academy* Coordination</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
a. Do CoC members participate in State Policy Academy meetings, focus groups, public forums, or listservs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Were CoC strategic plan goals adopted by the CoC as a result of communication/coordination with the State Policy Academy Team?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Has the CoC or any of its projects received state funding as a result of its coordination with the State Policy Academy?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Public Housing Agency Coordination</b>		
a. Do CoC members meet with CoC area PHAs to improve coordination with and access to mainstream housing resources?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Coordination with State Education Agencies</b>		
a. Did the CoC provide the state education agency with a list of emergency and transitional housing facilities located within the CoC boundaries that serve families with school-age children or school-age unaccompanied youth under the age of 18?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

\*A State Policy Academy is a state-level process designed to help state and local policymakers improve access to mainstream services for people who are homeless. For more information about getting involved in a State Policy Academy, see <http://www.hrsa.gov/homeless>.

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## CoC 2006 Funding Priorities

### Q: CoC Project Priorities Chart

For further instructions for filling out this section, see the Instructions section.

HUD-defined CoC Name:*						CoC #:			
(1) <b>SF-424 Applicant Name</b>  (Please Remove Examples)	(2) <b>Project Sponsor Name</b>	(3) <b>Project Name</b>	(4) <b>Priority</b>	(5) <b>Requested Project Amount ***</b>	(6) <b>Term</b>	(7) <b>Program and Component Type**</b>			
						<b>SHP New</b>	<b>SHP Renewal</b>	<b>S+C New</b>	<b>SRO New</b>
Example: ABC Nonprofit	ABC Nonprofit	Annie's House	1	\$451,026	3	PH			
Example: XYZ County	AJAY Nonprofit	Pierce's Place	2	\$80,000	5			TRA	
Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska, Inc.	Nebraska Management Information System (NMIS)	Nebraska Management Information System (NMIS)	1	<b>\$ 76,929</b>	3		X		
Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska, Inc.	R.A.F.T., Inc. (Residential Assistance to Families in Transision)	R.A.F.T., Inc.	2	<b>\$181,435</b>	2		X		
			3						
			4						
			5						
			6						
<b>(8) Subtotal: Requested Amount for CoC Competitive Projects:***</b>				<b>\$258,364</b>					
<b>(9) Shelter Plus Care Renewals:**** N/A</b>						<b>S+C Component Type**</b>			
			7		1				
			8		1				
			9		1				
<b>(10) Subtotal: Requested Amount for S+C Renewal Projects:</b>				<b>\$ 00.00</b>					
<b>(11) Total CoC Requested Amount:</b>				<b>\$</b>					

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\*HUD-defined CoC names & numbers are available at: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>

\*\*Place the component type (PH, TRA etc.) under the appropriate program for each project in column 7.

\*\*\*The requested project amount **must not** exceed the amount entered in the project summary budget in Exhibit 2. If the project summary budget exceeds the amount shown on this priorities list, the **project budget will be reduced** to the amount shown on the CoC Project Priorities Chart.

\*\*\*\*For the Shelter Plus Care Renewals priority number, please continue project numbering from the top portion of the chart – please **do not** restart S+C project priority numbering from 1.

## R: CoC Pro Rata Need (PRN) Reallocation Chart

(Only for Eligible Hold Harmless CoCs)

CoCs that receive the 1-year Hold Harmless PRN amount may reduce or eliminate one or more of the SHP grants eligible for renewal in the 2006 CoC competition. CoCs may reallocate the funds made available through this process to create new permanent housing project(s). These new project(s) may be for SHP, S+C, and Section 8 SRO projects and their respective eligible activities.

**Advisory Warning:** According to the CoC competitive process, a CoC that scores below the initial funding line will not have the new projects on this chart funded. As such, the reallocated funds that had been used for renewals would no longer be available to the CoC.

<b>1. Will your CoC be using the PRN reallocation process?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
If Yes, explain the open decision making process the CoC used to reduce and/or eliminate projects (use no more than one-half page).					
<b>2. Enter the total 1-year amount of <i>all</i> SHP projects that are eligible for renewal in 2006, which amount you have verified with your field office:</b>				<i>Example:</i> \$530,000	\$
<b>3. Starting with the total entered above for question 2, subtract the amount your CoC proposes to use for new permanent housing projects, and enter the remaining amount:</b> (In this example, the amount proposed for new PH projects is \$140,000)				<i>Example:</i> \$390,000	\$ 0.00
<b>4. Enter the Reduced or Eliminated Grant(s) in the 2006 Competition</b>					
<b>(1)</b> Expiring Grants	<b>(2)</b> Program Code	<b>(3)</b> Component	<b>(4)</b> Annual Renewal Amount	<b>(5)</b> Reduced Amount	<b>(6)</b> Retained Amount from Existing Grant
<i>Ex:</i> MA01B300002	SHP	TH	\$100,000	\$60,000	\$40,000
<i>Ex:</i> MA01B400003	SHP	SSO	\$80,000	\$80,000	\$0
<b>(7) TOTAL:</b>					
<b>5. Newly Proposed Permanent Housing Projects in the 2006 Competition</b>					
<b>(8)</b> 2006 Project Priority Number	<b>(9)</b> Program Code	<b>(10)</b> Component	<b>(11)</b> Transferred Amounts		
<i>Example:</i> #5	SHP	PH	\$90,000		
<i>Example:</i> #12	S+C	TRA	\$50,000		
<b>(12) TOTAL:</b>					

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## S: CoC Project Leveraging Summary Chart

HUD homeless program funding is limited and can provide only a portion of the resources needed to successfully address the needs of homeless families and individuals. HUD encourages applicants to use supplemental resources, including State and local appropriated funds, to address homeless needs.

Enter the name of your Continuum and list the total amount of leveraged resources available. To get this number, find the total at the bottom of the Project Leveraging Chart for all Exhibit 2 project applications, add up all of these the totals, and enter this single number in the chart below. Complete only one chart for the entire CoC (do *not* add any rows). Provide information *only* for contributions for which you have a *written commitment in hand at the time of application*.

**Warning:** HUD will prosecute false claims and statements. Conviction may result in criminal and/or civil penalties (18 U.S.C. 1001, 1010, 1012; 31 U.S.C. 3729, 3802)

Name of Continuum	Total Value of Written Commitment
<i>Example:</i> River County CoC	\$10,253,000
Southwest Nebraska CoC	\$49,548

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## T: CoC Current Funding and Renewal Projections Chart

Congress has asked HUD to provide estimates of expected renewal amounts over the next five years. Please complete the chart below to help HUD arrive at the most accurate estimate possible. For further instructions in filling out this chart, see the Instructions section.

**T: CoC Current Funding and Renewal Projections****Supportive Housing Program (SHP) Projects:**

Type of Housing	All SHP Funds Requested (Current Year)	Renewal Projections				
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Transitional Housing (TH)	\$181,435		\$181,435		\$181,435	
Safe Havens-TH						
Permanent Housing (PH)						
Safe Havens-PH						
SSO						
HMIS	\$76,929			\$76,929		
<b>Totals</b>	\$258,364		\$181,435	\$76,929	\$181,435	

**Shelter Plus Care (S+C) Projects: N/A**

Number of Bedrooms	All S+C Funds Requested (Current Year)		Renewal Projections									
	2006		2007		2008		2009		2010		2011	
	Units	\$	Units	\$	Units	\$	Units	\$	Units	\$	Units	\$
0												
1												
2												
3												
4												
5												
<b>Totals</b>												

## Part IV: CoC Performance

### U: CoC Achievements Chart

Enter the goals and action steps that you that you listed on your 2005 CoC application and briefly describe measurable achievements in the past 12 months. The information provided in the first two columns should be the same as provided in the 2005 CoC application. Add rows as needed.

Goals	Action Steps	Measurable Achievements
<b>Chronic Homelessness Goals</b>		
1. Develop a strategy to encourage trade centers to create additional affordable housing units.	<b>a.</b> Study existing models in other regions.  <b>b.</b> Identify possible funding sources.  <b>c.</b> Complete planning activities for one project.	<b>a.</b> Received reports from South Central Behavioral Services new project in SE Nebraska CoC.  <b>b.</b> Established housing work groups in Kearney, McCook, Holdrege, and Ogallala. <b>c.</b> None completed to date.
2. Mainstream Services	<b>a.</b> Provide and maintain a directory of mainstream service providers and how to access them.  <b>b.</b> Provide training in the use of the directory.  <b>c.</b> Have an aggressive plan to assist the chronically homeless in the process of accessing and applying or mainstream services in place.	<b>a.</b> Directory completed and distributed in hard copy in May 2006 to members of the CoC . Additional copies to all NDHHS supervisors in trade centers will be distributed electronically throughout the region quarterly. <b>b.</b> A 30 minute training session is planned annually beginning in May 2006, at the CoC general meeting. <b>c. a.</b> Unity House was established in Kearney trade center to assist SMI clients with life skills and access of services. <b>c.b.</b> 100% of clients at Lincoln Connection and Haven House are assisted with application for mainstream service for which they are eligible.
3. Wraparound Services	<b>a.</b> Determine that service providers have adequate assessment tools to determine what wraparound will look like for each individual. <b>b.</b> Provide training on the use of the tools available. <b>c.</b> Develop a plan to assure that	No progress on this goal for CH. Wraparound programs are developing that will prevent homelessness and serve both chronic homeless and other homeless. Programs are not CH specific, but have the potential to serve CH.

	wraparound remains in place as long as required to prevent the crises that jeopardize the security of housing for the previously chronic homeless.	
<b>Other Homelessness Goals</b>		
1.To strengthen the Southwest CoC's effectiveness through data collection and information sharing.	<p><b>1.</b> Inventory direct and supportive homeless and near-homeless services within the region. <b>(a.)</b> Create and maintain an online referenced manual of community services information in each trade center. <b>(b)</b> Provide training at CoC meeting on how to use the Community Service Referenced Manual.</p> <p><b>2.</b> Identify gaps in the homeless and near-homeless delivery system. <b>(a.)</b> Create and maintain a list of services based on the Housing First model. <b>(b)</b> Provide training at CoC meeting on how to use the list of services.</p> <p><b>3.</b> Determine existing needs and the capacity for meeting those needs at predetermined points in time. <b>(a.)</b> Conduct a point-in-time survey of sheltered and unsheltered in January and July of every other year starting in 2005.</p> <p><b>4.</b> Give support to the lead agency for HMIS. <b>(a.)</b> Invite someone to CoC meetings quarterly to report on computer program. <b>(b)</b> Set a timeline goal for bringing all providers to HMIS and get approval from CoC.</p>	<p><b>1. a.</b> University of Nebraska-Kearney (UNK) made contact with CoC to request copy of Service Directory.</p> <p><b>1.b.</b> Communication between trade centers improved by referrals between trade centers increasing by 9%.</p> <p><b>2.</b> Gap identified-lack of recent housing studies in trade centers.</p> <p><b>3.</b> Point in time was completed on January 31, 2005 and forms have been improved for the 2007 point in time process.</p> <p><b>4.</b> NMIS (Nebraska Management Information System) began implementing ServicePoint in the CoC.</p> <p><b>a.</b> Tim Wilson, NMIS (Nebraska Management System) system administrator has attended 4 CoC meetings to report and educate on NMIS.</p> <p><b>4.b.</b> A list of providers has been given to Mr. Wilson so that educational information on the system can be provided.</p> <p><b>4.c.</b> One year non-competitive funding was awarded from HUD to support NMIS</p>

<p>2.To create and maintain a sustainable CoC structure to monitor and insure implementation of the plan.</p>	<p><b>1.</b> Increase involvement from all CoC members. <b>(a)</b> Create and implement a plan to strengthen participation within the SW CoC.</p> <p><b>2.</b> Increase the awareness of new members about the continuum process. <b>(a)</b> Develop a brochure targeting stake holders in housing and homeless/near-homeless issues in the Southwest Region of Nebraska; (i.) Distribute brochures via presentations or mailings; (ii) Involve stakeholders in the SW CoC. <b>(b)</b> Develop a bi-monthly newsletter targeting stakeholders in housing and homeless issues in the Southwest Region of Nebraska;(i) Distribute via presentations or mailings; (ii) Invite stakeholders to participate in the SW CoC. <b>(c)</b>Develop a web site about the SW CoC targeting stakeholders in homeless and housing issues; (i) Contact web designers for sponsorship or otherwise develop a funding source for support. (ii) Develop website; (iii) Distribute web address through brochure and newsletter; (iv) Invite stakeholders to participate in the SW CoC.</p> <p><b>3.</b> Develop a five-year strategic plan. <b>(a)</b> Obtain input from the Executive Committee and membership for goals, strategies, and actions to be achieved by the CoC. <b>(b)</b> Update the strategic plan twice a year. <b>(c)</b> Implement the plan.</p> <p><b>4.</b> Create and implement a plan for community education about the issues affecting homeless</p>	<p><b>1.</b> Attendance at CoC general meetings has increased 10%. Attendance at trade center meetings has increased in Kearney, McCook, and Holdrege. Ogallala is developing a local planning group, strengthening participation from that trade center region.</p> <p><b>2.a.</b> Brochure developed and distributed throughout the CoC.</p> <p><b>2.b.</b> Two newsletters were published.</p> <p><b>3.</b> SW Region Workbook is in progress. Five-year plan is in place. Prevention Strategies: Participation by mental health providers increased by 100%. Housing First Strategies included owner-occupied rehab and purchase rehab-resell grants were awarded in the region.</p> <p><b>4. a.</b> Poverty simulations were held in Holdrege, Minden, and McCook.</p>
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	<p>and near-homeless persons. <b>(a)</b> Coordinate presentations of “poverty simulation” throughout the region. <b>(b)</b> Track speaking engagements by members of the CoC. <b>(c)</b> Encourage trade centers to do promotional and educational activities. <b>(d)</b> Provide statistics and information resources other than already created, to trade centers. <b>(e)</b> Increase local support of housing and homeless assistance program.</p>	<p>Additional programs are planned in Hayes and Hitchcock Counties in August of 2006.</p> <p><b>4. b.</b> Lincoln Connection shelter director walked 1,000 miles to create awareness and raised approximately \$100,000 for new shelter for emergency and transitional housing.</p> <p><b>4.c.</b> Second Homes project created in Kearney for National Hunger &amp; Homeless Awareness Week.</p>
<p>3. To increase and maintain access to resources. (There is no wrong door to access services.)</p>	<p><b>1.</b> Project and service coordination. <b>(a)</b> Outreach to consumers; (i) Involve community resources who provide renter education classes SW CoC ; (ii) Develop and enhance home buyer education classes through SW regions; (iii) Coordinate scheduling of classes within the region. (iv) Distribute resource material to improve public access to information.</p> <p><b>(b)</b> Outreach to funding sources; (i) Federal Home Loan Bank of Topeka [FHLB]; (ii)NIFA, DED, HHSS and any other state or federal resource; (iii) Enlist support and involvement of private developers in the SW CoC; (iv) Collaborate on NHAP grant applications; (v) Seek inter-local governmental support for DED grant to : (1) Design Assessment for determining needs of homeless persons in region; (2) Determine needs of homeless persons in regions; (3) Determine adequate capacity;(4) Feasibility study for a capital campaign; (5) Service</p>	<p><b>1.a.i.</b> Rentwise renter education train-the-trainer program was attended by 8 individuals from 5 of 6 trade centers. Classes were offered in the Holdrege trade center with 8 individuals completing the program. REACH homebuyer education classes have been offered in Kearney, McCook, Ogallala. In McCook (319145) 59 people completed the course and 5 have purchased homes to date. In Ogallala (319101)17 people have completed the course. In Kearney (319019) 119 households including 178 individuals have completed the class.</p> <p><b>1.b.</b> Application underway to funding sources for housing study in Kearney Trade Center region. DED grants have provided the funding for the Purchase-Rehab-Resell and Owner Occupied Rehab projects.</p>

	<p>delivery design; (6) Interagency coordination and staffing needs; and (7) Assessment of tri-city coordination of services which can be incorporated into the SW region's strategic plan. <b>(c)</b> Address customer barriers to accessing services; (1) Increase awareness of congressional representative staff of homeless issues; (ii) Increase awareness of state legislators of mental health and housing issues; (iii) monitor and advocate for legislation supporting CoC goals.</p> <p><b>(2) Housing Stock (a)</b> Collaborate within SW CoC to strategize project development. <b>(b)</b> Increase funding and provision of housing for homeless and near-homeless persons within the SW CoC; (i) Compile data from housing surveys for all counties within SW region; (ii) Analyze gaps in housing throughout the SW region; (iii) Develop a plan to address housing needs throughout the SW region; (iv) Leverage funding sources to address gaps in housing throughout the SW region; (v) Develop housing projects.</p> <p><b>3.</b> Coordinate and contribute to the statewide DED consolidated plan. <b>(a)</b> Attend 5-year plan public hearings; (i) Advocate for DED support within the SW region. <b>(b)</b> Familiarize continuum membership with DED plan: (i) develop a written response from the Executive Committee to be incorporated into DED's 5-year plan.</p>	<p><b>c.</b> CoC representatives participated in the State Policy Academy [Nebraska Commission on Housing &amp; Homelessness Ad Hoc Committee (NCHH)] meetings to address those barriers that cannot be changed locally, but must be addressed by policy changes at the state and federal level.</p> <p><b>2.a. &amp; b.</b> Improved and new projects underway include: Ogallala Trade Center- 8 two-bedroom units, 8 three-bedroom units, partially funded with HOME funds; Owner Occupied Rehab is under way for 6 homes each in Furnas (319055), Frontier (319063), Gosper (319073), Red Willow (319145) Counties and 5 homes in Franklin (319061) County; Purchase Rehab Resell funds have been received for 6 homes in Buffalo (319019) County.</p> <p><b>3.</b> The NCHH CoC Committee and Ad Hoc Committee made recommendations to the plan developers. <b>a.</b> Representatives from the CoC attended public hearings on the plan. <b>b.</b> Those parts of the plan that apply to housing and homelessness were reviewed at the CoC meeting.</p>
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## V: CoC Chronic Homeless (CH) Progress Chart

This chart should be based on January 2006 point-in-time counts. For further instructions in filling out this chart, please see the Instructions section.

Year	(1) Number of CH Persons	(2) Number of PH beds for the CH	(3) New PH beds for the CH between Feb. 1, 2005 – Jan. 31, 2006	(4) Identify the cost of the <u>new</u> CH beds from each funding source			
				Public			Private
				Federal	State	Local	
2004	<i>Example:</i> 90	45	10	\$15,480	\$31,420	\$40,350	\$12,750
2005	<i>Example:</i> 82	50					
2006	<i>Example:</i> 75	60					
2004	350	0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2005	347	0					
2006	342	0					

(5) Briefly describe the reason(s) for any changes in the total number of the chronically homeless between 2005 and 2006 (use less than one-half page).

To date there has not been a significant change in the number of chronically homeless. This CoC is located along the I-80 corridor and many CH seek shelter only for a day or two as they are passing through between larger communities along that route.

## W: CoC Housing Performance Chart

The following chart will assess your CoC's progress in reducing homelessness by helping clients move to and stabilize in permanent housing, access mainstream services and gain employment. Both housing and supportive services projects in your CoC will be examined. Provide information from the most recently submitted APR for the appropriate RENEWAL project(s) on your CoC Project Priorities Chart. **Note:** If you are not submitting any renewals in this year's competition for the applicable areas presented below, check the appropriate box in the chart.

<b>1. Participants in Permanent Housing</b>		
HUD will be assessing the percentage of all participants who remain in S+C or SHP permanent housing (PH) for more than six months. SHP projects include both SHP-PH and SHP-Safe Haven PH renewals. Complete the following chart utilizing data based on the <u>preceding operating year</u> from APR Question 12(a) and 12(b) for PH projects included on your CoC Priority Chart:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No applicable PH renewals are on the CoC Project Priorities Chart	APR Data
<input type="checkbox"/>	All PH renewal projects with APRs submitted are included in calculating the responses below	

**Exhibit 1: CoC (Forms A through AB)**

**Applicant: Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska, Inc. DUNS # 068662444**

a.	Number of participants who <b>exited</b> PH project(s)—APR Question 12(a)	
b.	Number of participants who did <b>not leave</b> the project(s)—APR Question 12(b)	
c.	Number who <b>exited</b> after staying 7 months or longer in PH—APR Question 12(a)	
d.	Number who did <b>not leave</b> after staying 7 months or longer in PH—APR question 12(b)	
e.	Percentage of all participants in PH projects staying 7 months or longer (c. + d. divided by a. + b. multiplied by 100 = e.)	%
<b>2. Participants in Transitional Housing (TH)</b>		
HUD will be assessing the percentage of all TH clients who moved to a permanent housing situation. TH projects include SHP-TH and SHP-Safe Haven/TH <i>not</i> identified as permanent housing. Complete the following chart utilizing data based on the <u>preceding operating year</u> from APR Question 14 for TH renewal projects included on your CoC Priorities Chart.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	No applicable TH renewals are on the CoC Project Priorities Chart	APR Data
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>All</u> TH renewal projects with APRs submitted are included in calculating the responses below	
a.	Number of participants who exited TH project(s)—including unknown destination	5
b.	Number of participants who moved to PH	3
c.	Percent of participants in TH projects who moved to PH (b. divided by a. multiplied by 100 =	60%

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## X: Mainstream Programs and Employment Project Performance Chart

HUD will be assessing the percentage of clients in all your renewal projects who gained access to mainstream services, especially those who gained employment. This includes all S+C renewals and all SHP renewals, excluding HMIS projects. Complete the following charts based on responses to APR Question 11 for each of the renewal projects included on your CoC Priority Chart. For further instructions for filling out this section, see the Instructions section at the beginning of the application.

<input type="checkbox"/>	No applicable renewal projects for the Mainstream Programs and Employment Chart included in the CoC Priorities Chart.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>All</u> non-HMIS renewal projects on the CoC Priorities Chart that submitted an APR are included in calculating the responses below.

(1) Number of Adults Who Left (Use same number in each cell)	(2) Income Source	(3) Number of Exiting Adults with Each Source of Income	(4) Percent with Income at Exit (Col 3 ÷ Col 1 x 100)
<i>Example:</i> 105	a. SSI	40	38.1%
<i>Example:</i> 105	b. SSDI	35	33.3%
5	a. SSI	0	0
5	b. SSDI	0	0
5	c. Social Security	0	0
5	d. General Public Assistance	0	0
5	e. TANF	1	20%
5	f. SCHIP	1	20%
5	g. Veterans Benefits	0	0
5	<b>h. Employment Income</b>	4	80%
5	i. Unemployment Benefits	0	0
5	j. Veterans Health Care	0	0
5	k. Medicaid	4	80%
5	l. Food Stamps	3	60%
5	m. Other (please specify)	0	0%
5	n. No Financial Resources	1	20%

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**Y: Enrollment and Participation in Mainstream Programs Chart**

It is fundamental that your CoC systematically helps homeless persons identify, apply for and follow-up to receive benefits under SSI, SSDI, TANF, Medicaid, Food Stamps, SCHIP, WIA, and Veterans Health Care as well as any other State or Local program that may be applicable. Which policies are currently in place in your CoC to help clients secure these mainstream benefits for which they are eligible?

Check those activities implemented by <b>a majority</b> of your CoC's homeless assistance providers (check all that apply):	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A majority of homeless assistance providers have case managers systematically assist clients in completing applications for mainstream benefit programs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The CoC systematically analyzes its projects' APRs to assess and improve access to mainstream programs.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The CoC contains a specific planning committee to improve CoC-wide participation in mainstream programs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	A majority of homeless assistance providers use a single application form for four or more of the above mainstream programs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The CoC systematically provides outreach and intake staff specific, ongoing training on how to identify eligibility and program changes for mainstream programs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The CoC has specialized staff whose only responsibility is to identify, enroll, and follow-up with homeless persons on participation in mainstream programs.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A majority of homeless assistance providers supply transportation assistance to clients to attend mainstream benefit appointments.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A majority of homeless assistance providers have staff systematically follow-up to ensure that mainstream benefits are received.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The CoC coordinates with the State Interagency Council(s) on Homelessness to reduce or remove barriers to accessing mainstream services.

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**Z: Unexecuted Grants Awarded Prior to the 2005 CoC Competition Chart**

Provide a list of all HUD McKinney-Vento Act awards made prior to the 2005 competition that are not yet under contract (i.e., signed grant agreement or executed ACC). **None**

Project Number	Applicant Name	Project Name	Grant Amount
Example: MI23B901002	Michiana Homes, Inc.	TH for Homeless	\$514,000
		<b>Total:</b>	

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**AA: CoC Participation in Energy Star Chart**

HUD promotes energy-efficient housing. All McKinney-Vento funded projects are encouraged to promote energy efficiency, and are specifically encouraged to purchase and use Energy Star labeled products. For information on the Energy Star initiative go to: <http://www.energystar.gov>.

Have you notified CoC members of the Energy Star initiative? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Percentage of CoC projects on CoC Priority Chart using Energy Star appliances:   0   %

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**AB: Section 3 Employment Policy Chart**

	YES	NO
1. Is any project in your CoC requesting HUD funds for housing rehabilitation or new construction?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. <b>If you answered yes to Question 1:</b> Is the project requesting \$200,000 or more?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>3. <b>If you answered yes to Question 2:</b> What activities will the project undertake to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities are directed to low- and very low-income persons, per the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (known as "Section 3")?</p> <p><b>Check all that apply:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The project will have a preference policy for hiring low- and very low-income persons residing in the service area or neighborhood where the project is located, and for hiring Youthbuild participants/graduates.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The project will advertise at social service agencies, employment and training centers, community centers, or other organizations that have frequent contact with low- and very low-income individuals, as well as local newspapers, shopping centers, radio, etc.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The project will notify any area Youthbuild programs of job opportunities.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> If the project will be awarding competitive contracts of more than \$100,000, it will establish a preference policy for "Section 3 business concerns"* that provide economic opportunities and will include the "Section 3 clause"** in all solicitations and contracts.</p>		
<p>*A "Section 3 business concern" is one in which: 51% or more of the owners are section 3 residents of the area of service; <u>or</u> at least 30% of its permanent full-time employees are currently section 3 residents of the area of service, or within three years of their date of hire with the business concern were section 3 residents; <u>or</u> evidence of a commitment to subcontract greater than 25% of the dollar award of all subcontracts to businesses that meet the qualifications in the above categories is provided.</p> <p>**The "Section 3 clause" can be found at 24 CFR Part 135.</p>		

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